

FORM B - BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
294 WASHINGTON STREET, BOSTON, MA 02108

AREA	FORM NO.
	575



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e: Present residential

Original residential

DESCRIPTION:

te c. 1915?

Source stylistic analysis

Style Bungalow

Architect

Exterior wall fabric shingle

Outbuildings garage

Major alterations (with dates)

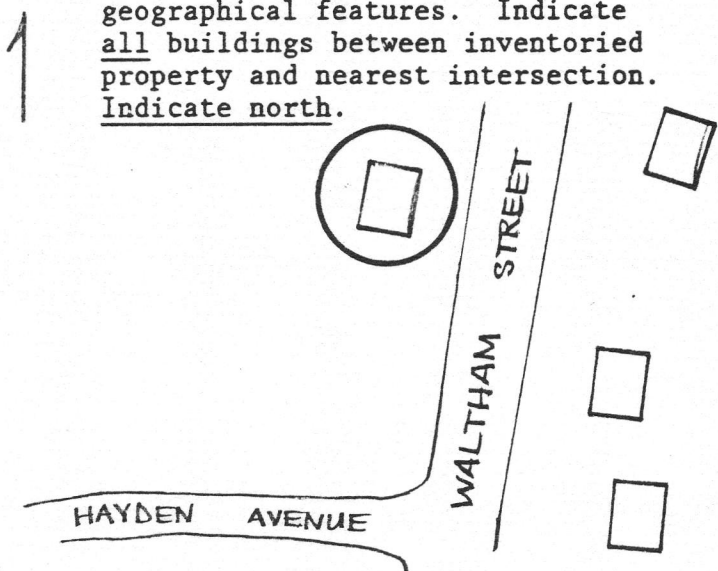
Moved Date

Approx. acreage 39230 ft.²

Setting Isolated on a very busy street;
near an entrance ramp to a major, six-
lane highway (Route 2).

SKETCH MAP

Show property's location in relation to nearest cross streets and/or geographical features. Indicate all buildings between inventoried property and nearest intersection. Indicate north.



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ARCHITECTURAL SIGNIFICANCE (Describe important architectural features and evaluate in terms of other buildings within the community.)

This classic bungalow sits alone, both geographically and stylistically: this and the house immediately to the north are the only houses on the west side of Waltham Street north of Route 2 for many hundreds of feet and this is the only bungalow of its type anywhere on Waltham Street. It has a gable roof with wide, flaring eaves; rafter ends visible under the porch eaves; diagonal braces and purlins under the gable-end overhangs; battered porch posts; a fieldstone foundation and chimney; and diamond-paned casement windows in the dormer. There are small three-sided bay windows with hoods on both the south (shown in photo) and north sides of the house.

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE (Explain the role owners played in local or state history and how the building relates to the development of the community.)

BIBLIOGRAPHY and/or REFERENCES (name of publication, author, date and publisher)